



Chief Christopher Hodge



## CHIEF'S CALLOUTS

This holiday season be safe and smart when it comes to deliveries to your house or purchasing goods from local online sellers.

If you have agreed to meet someone to purchase an item make sure to meet in a public area away from your home. Local police departments are always a good place to meet someone.

If you are having any expensive products sent to your home you can also utilize the shipper to redirect them to a locker or require a signature to avoid a porch pirate!



## DECEMBER

December has certainly brought out the cold weather and is forcing us to dig out the heavy coats. As always remember our furry friends and ensure they are inside and have the comforts and safety they deserve.

We know everyone is having an incredibly busy month and has all sorts of things going on and many things on their mind.

The Children of the forest in Westeros had a lot on their mind in the Dawn Age as well. After reaching a pact with the First Men peace returned to Westeros...for the time being...



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## JOHNATHEN'S ADVICE ON YARD DEBRIS

Yard debris, including leaves and other organic plant material like shrubbery trimmings and grass clippings, are a significant source of stormwater pollution. Did you know that storm drains are not connected to sanitary sewer systems and treatment plants? There is no treatment to remove the debris from the water before it reaches nearby lakes, streams, or rivers. The primary purpose of storm drains is to carry rainwater away from developed areas to prevent flooding. When you blow your lawn waste into the street, it can clog storm drains and cause drainage and flooding issues by clogging curb inlets and pipes, which can cause water to back up and flood within the drainage system or the creek.

## PEOPLE PASSION PROGRESS

**MAYOR LINDA BLECHINGER**

Our city's new Municipal Complex and surrounding neighborhood are ramping up the progress. Some of the houses will be move-in ready by the end of the year and the Auburn Municipal Complex itself will be ready for our move shortly after January.

Keep up to date with the latest by scanning the QR code below:



Municipal Complex

## MAYOR'S CORNER

### MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

Merry Christmas and happy holidays to all! Christmas is always one of my favorite times of the year, the meaning of Christmas is sacrificial love. My prayer during this season is for peace and protection throughout our land.

We hope you are enjoying the beautiful decorations in downtown Auburn. We are excited to see families come down for their annual Christmas pictures and we look forward to our big Christmas event—Sounding Off the Christmas Season— set for December 11th from 3:00pm-7:00pm This will be a wonderful family event! I love Auburn at Christmas!

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*Sounding off the Christmas Season*

December 11th 3-7 pm

Pictures with Santa, Live Music, The Grinch, Kids Zone, Train Ride, and much more.

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We are looking forward to 2023 with great expectations and plans. We continue to work hard for our citizens to make Auburn the best community it can be.

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**CITY MEETING SCHEDULE**

- 12/01/22—City Council Business Meeting 5:00pm
- 12/07/22—Parks and Leisure Commission 6:30pm
- 12/08/22—Downtown Development Authority 6:00pm
- 12/21/22—Planning and Zoning Commission 6:00pm
- 12/15/22—City Council Workshop 5:00pm

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Tax time is fast approaching so make sure to stay on top of the latest tax changes by reaching out to Victor at VL-Tax Service here in Auburn.

Tax laws are always changing and Victor stays abreast of the myriad changes for you to ensure you are on the right side of the tax laws and are getting the money you deserve.

We love being able to feature Auburn small businesses in our monthly flyer and hope that our citizens will always try to shop local and help their neighbors and city continue to grow!

**O.W.L.S. LUNCHEON**  
**12/21 @ 11:30am**

Join us again at the Perry-Rainey Center in Auburn for another round of food, fun, and fellowship with all of your Older, Wiser, Laughing Seniors!

**CAR SHOW**  
**12/24**

Check out all of the classic cars and good times on display the 4th Saturday of every month in Downtown Auburn. We will have cars from all generations to check out and HEAR!

**AUBURN PUBLIC LIBRARY**

As of 11/22

MON	10 am - 7 pm
TUE	10 am - 7 pm
WED	10 am - 7 pm
THU	10 am - 7 pm
FRI	10 am - 7 pm
SAT	10 am - 3 pm

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

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